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For: GAS DETECTION METHOD AND	)	
GAS DETECTION APPARATUS	)	

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**Customer Window, Mail Stop Amendment**  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In response to the non-final Office Action dated April 3, 2008, the period for response to which runs through July 3, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows: